

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-18

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FM AMEMBASSY MBABANE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6363

INFO AMEMBASSY GABORONE

AMEMBASSY MASERU

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

C O N F I D E N T I A L MBABANE 0880

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRD, WZ

SUBJECT: SUGAR ACT EXTENSION

REF: A) STATE 092672 B) STATE 217179 (NOV 1973)

FOR O'NEILL AF/S

1. IF EMBASSY OFFICIALS CORRECT IN INTERPRETATION  
REFTEL (A) SWAZILAND BASIC SUGAR QUOTA ACTUALLY  
CUT RATHER THAN INCREASED AS ANTICIPATED. WHILE  
EMBASSY HAS BEEN CAREFUL NOT RPT NOT RAISE SWAZI  
HOPES OTHER AMERICANS HAVE ASSURED GOS OFFICIALS  
AND MEMBERS INDUSTRY THAT AT LEAST 50 PERCENT INCREASE BASIC  
QUOTA WAS LIKELY.

2. SWAZIS MOST CAREFUL AVOID ASSOCIATING DESIRED  
INCREASE HERE WITH POSSIBLE REDUCTION OF QUOTA  
FOR SOUTH AFRICA. HOWEVER THEY HAVE IMPRESSION  
THAT CHANGE OF THIS POSTURE COULD FACILITATE AWARD  
INCREASED QUOTA. IF SOUTH AFRICAN QUOTA  
REMAINS SAME OR IS INCREASED SWAZIS COULD  
CONCLUDE US REGARD FOR SWAZILAND LESSENED.

3. PLEASE PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR RESPONDING TO  
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QUESTIONS ON QUOTAS.

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